

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1. (Currently Amended) A ~~endovascular~~ prosthesis comprising: a an implantable tubular member; and an outer covering sealed to portions of said tubular member, ~~an expandable~~ a pocket being defined between said tubular member and said outer covering to accommodate a pre-determined agent ~~in forming a seal ring~~, said outer covering being impervious to said pre-determined agent and being pleated about said pocket, wherein said pocket is formed to be expandable with said outer covering being pleated about said pocket ~~said pocket singularly circumscribes said tubular member in an annular shape; and, at least one channel in fluid communication with said pocket, wherein said channel being configured to not constrain said seal ring upon formation.~~

Claim 2. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said tubular member is a graft.

Claim 3. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said tubular member is a stent/graft combination.

Claim 4. (Previously Presented) A prosthesis as in claim 3, wherein said stent is expandable.

Claim 5. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 4, wherein said stent is self-expanding.

Claim 6. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said outer covering is pervious to a therapeutic agent disposed in said pocket.

Claim 7. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said tubular member is impervious to said pre-determined agent.

Claim 8. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said pre-determined agent is substantially incompressible.

Claim 9. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said pre-determined agent is a fluid.

Claim 10. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said pre-determined agent is in a semisolid state.

Claim 11. (Cancelled)

Claim 12. (Previously presented) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said outer covering is formed of a stretchable material.

Claim 13. (Cancelled)

Claim 14. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, further comprising a fluid conduit in fluid communication with said pocket.

Claim 15. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 14, wherein said fluid conduit is in fluid communication with said pocket via a channel.

Claim 16. (Original) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said tubular member has a first end, said pocket being located in proximity to said first end.

Claim 17. (Cancelled)

Claim 18. (Currently Amended) A prosthesis as in claim 1, wherein said prosthesis is an endovascular prosthesis.

Claims 19-37. (Cancelled)

Claim 38. (Previously presented) A tubular prosthesis comprising: a tubular member, and an outer covering sealed to portions of said tubular member, a pocket being defined between said tubular member and said outer covering to accommodate a pre-determined agent, said outer covering being impervious to said pre-determined agent, wherein said outer covering is pervious to a therapeutic agent disposed in said pocket.

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